Establishment of independent Commission against corruption

2165. SHRI PYARELAL KHANDELWAL: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are seriously considering to establish an independent Commission against corruption;

(b) whether it is a fact that the existing law enforcement machinery including police has become hugely corrupt;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the details of numerous reports from Commission which have recognised the problem of corruption in said institution?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Inquiry into misbehaviour of Judges

2166. SHRI ABU ASIM AZMI: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Judges of the Gujarat High Court had verbally fought with each other in the recent past;

(b) if so, whether an inquiry has been conducted in this regard;

(c) if so, whether the Committee has submitted its report and the findings thereof;

(d) the action taken/being taken against such misbehaviour by the Judges of the High Court; and

(e) what action Government propose to avoid such instances in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) to (d) The Supreme Court of India has been consulted in the matter and they have informed as below:

(i) The factual position, as reported to the Hon'ble Chief Justice of India, is that an incident, as also reported by the press, involving